

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Atty. Docket: NAKADA3

In re Application of:)	Conf. No.: 7874
Tsutomu NAKADA)	
)	Washington, D.C.
Filed: April 2, 2004)	
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U.S. Appln. No.: 10/816,168)	
)	October 13, 2004
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For: COPPER PLATING BATH AND)	
PLATING METHOD)	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, and prior to
calculation of the filing fee, kindly amend as follows:

Amendments to the Specifications begin on page 2 of this
paper.

Remarks begin on page 4.